

**THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA  
ASHEVILLE DIVISION  
CIVIL CASE NO. 1:13-cv-00100-MR**

**RICHARD N. HOWELL, et al.,**

**Plaintiffs,**

**vs.**

**AIR & LIQUID SYSTEMS  
CORPORATION, et al.,**

**Defendants.**

**ORDER**

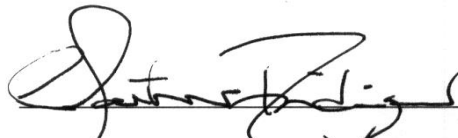
**THIS MATTER** is before the Court on the parties' Joint Motion to Dismiss Defendant Velan Valve Corp. [Doc. 111].

For the reasons stated in the motion, and for cause shown,

**IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED** that the Joint Motion [Doc. 111] is **GRANTED**, and all of the Plaintiffs' claims against the Defendant Velan Valve Corp. are hereby **DISMISSED WITHOUT PREJUDICE**.

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

Signed: March 24, 2014

  
Martin Reidinger  
United States District Judge

